

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA

Plaintiff,

v.

JEFFERSON BEAUREGARD SESSIONS III,
Attorney General of the United States, in
his official capacity,

Defendant.

Civ. Action No. 17-3894
Hon. Michael M. Baylson

**MOTION OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW, CONSTITUTIONAL LAW, AND
IMMIGRATION LAW SCHOLARS FOR LEAVE TO FILE AN *AMICI CURIAE* BRIEF
IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR A PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION**

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT Professors Caitlin Barry, Seth Davis, Annie Lai, Christopher Lasch, and the other legal scholars listed below in Appendix A move the Court for leave to file a brief *amici curiae* in the above-captioned cases in support of plaintiff's motion for a preliminary injunction. Plaintiff consents to this motion and Defendant takes no position. The proposed brief is attached as Exhibit 1. The facts and law in support of the motion are more fully set forth in the accompanying Memorandum of Law.

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I hereby certify that on October 19, 2017, I electronically filed the foregoing Motion of Administrative Law, Constitutional Law, and Immigration Law Scholars for Leave to File an *Amici Curiae* Brief in Support of Plaintiff's Motion for a Preliminary Injunction using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to all parties of record.

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